



**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant : Torsten Schulz et al.                      Art Unit : 1639  
Serial No. : 10/820,269                                      Examiner : Mark Shibuya  
Filed : April 8, 2004                                        Confirmation No. 8565  
Title : DEVICE FOR HOLDING A SUBSTANCE LIBRARY CARRIER

United States Patent and Trademark Office  
Customer Service Window  
Randolph Building  
401 Dulany Street  
Alexandria VA 22314

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Applicants hereby petition the Commissioner for any and all extensions of time necessary within which to file the accompanying Reply to Action.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge \$460 to the Deposit Account 19-4293 for the two-month extension fee. Should this fee be in error, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to debit or credit Deposit Account 19-4293.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: 6-24-08

Harold H. Fox  
Reg. No. 41,498

**Customer No. 27890**  
Steptoe & Johnson LLP  
1330 Connecticut Avenue, NW  
Washington, DC 20036-1795  
Phone: 202-429-6748  
Fax: 202-429-3902

06/25/2008 JADD01 00000089 194293 10020269  
01 FC:1252 460.00 DA